



## Grape Bowl Stadium Renovation Survey

The Lodi Grape Bowl was built in 1940. In the early years, the stadium was used for high school football, motorcycle races, midget car races and several other events. In recent years, the Stadium's use has been limited to Lodi and Tokay High football, Pop Warner football, graduation ceremonies for both Lodi and Tokay High School, and local band reviews. It truly has always been a family oriented facility.

Over the years, the City of Lodi has not had the funding for needed repairs, maintenance and upgrades to comply with American Disability Act (ADA) and minimum building, safety, and fire regulations. If the community wishes to continue using the Grape Bowl for such events, the facility needs to be brought up to acceptable ADA regulations and minimum safety standards. An Ad Hoc committee was recently appointed by the Lodi City Council to pursue various options that would address the challenges facing the facility and seek possible funding solutions.

Public participation in determining the Grape Bowl's fate is very important, and your assistance in completing the following survey will greatly assist the Grape Bowl Ad Hoc Committee in knowing what the community wants to see happen with the Grape Bowl.

### SURVEY

1. Do you want to do minimal renovations to the Grape Bowl, with potential costs in excess of \$3 million, in order to satisfy the Americans with Disabilities Act accessibility requirements and other safety mandates?

YES NO

2. Do you want to make more extensive and expensive improvements to the Grape Bowl in an effort to attract additional events?

YES NO

3. What kind of additional events would you like to see at the Grape Bowl?

Music Concerts

Circus

Soccer Games

Extreme Sports Events

Other (please list): \_\_\_\_\_

4. Would you be in favor of privatizing the Grape Bowl and letting a private company restore and promote the facility as a pay-for-play operation?

YES NO

5. Would you be in favor of selling the Grape Bowl property and using the proceeds to develop a sports complex at another site?

YES NO

6. Who should pay for the Grape Bowl improvements and renovations?

Users?

General tax payers?

7. Would you be in favor of a 1/4¢ sales tax increase to pay for Grape Bowl renovations?

YES NO

8. Would you be in favor of a 1/8¢ sales tax increase to pay for Grape Bowl renovations?
- YES                      NO
9. If possible, would you favor taking property taxes going to the State of California and using these funds to renovate the facility?
- YES                      NO
10. Would you be in favor of an increase in the transient occupancy tax (tax on hotel room stays) to fund Grape Bowl renovations?
- YES                      NO
11. Would you be in favor of a \$3 monthly tax on phone and cable television services to fund Grape Bowl renovations?
- YES                      NO
12. Would you be in favor of establishing a Benefit Assessment District (parcel tax) to fund Grape Bowl renovations?
- YES                      NO
13. Would you be in favor of selling surplus City property, currently designated for Parks and Recreation use, to pay for renovations to the Grape Bowl?
- YES                      NO
14. Would you favor spending money on improving the Grape Bowl if other city recreational services are reduced?
- YES                      NO
15. At what level would you be willing to fund renovation and maintenance costs, on a **monthly** basis?
- \$0                      \$1 - \$5                      \$6 - \$10                      \$11 - \$20                      \$20 or more
16. Other comments you would like to have considered by the Grape Bowl Ad Hoc Committee:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact information: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE MAIL COMPLETED SURVEY BY MAY 15, 2006, TO:**  
**City of Lodi Parks and Recreation**  
**125 N. Stockton Street**  
**Lodi CA 95240**  
**Attn: Terri Lovell**